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THE GLORIOUS FOURTH AT HILO

Good Weather and Literary
Exercises of a High
Order.

A little after 5 a. m. yesterday the citi-
zens of Hilo were awakened by a report
that told them in noisy accents that the
"Glorious Fourth" was indeed at hand.
To a person acquainted with a demon-
stration of the kind it was but a repeti-
tion of days gone by. But to our new
citizens it meant a new birth, a new be-
ing so to speak, a proclamation that the
things and affairs that have hitherto ex-
isted were done for and that a new sys-
tem had succeeded the old.

In the past the majority of us knew
very little of Uncle Sam and his institu-
tions, but since then we have become ed-
ucated, and today we may truthfully say
that there are no more loyal and patriotic
citizens living than those that live in the
"Paradise of the Pacific." And if things
should shape themselves that we would
become a sovereign state, there would be
no brighter star in the constellation than
Hawaii.

The Fourth of July literary exercises
which were held on the pavilion at the
Hilo Hotel at 9:30 in the afternoon, were
attended by a crowd which filled not
only the pavilion but the Hotel verandas
and other available space within hearing
distance. The order of exercises was as
follows:

Music.....Hawaiian Government Band
Prayer.....Rev. J. A. Cruzan
Music.....Band
Reading Declaration of Independence..
Dr. D. S. Jordan of Stanford University
Music.....Band
Oration.....Hon. Rodenberg of Wash., D. C.
Music.....Band
Benediction.....Rev. R. K. Baptiste

The exercises were not only the best
attended of any of this nature on similar
occasions in Hilo, but they were by far
the most successful in the way the pro-
gramme was carried out and the interest
that attached to every portion of it.

Hon. G. F. Little presided as chairman
of the committee, and introduced the
speakers with appropriate remarks and
in his usual dignified and graceful man-
ner.

Dr. Jordan prefaced his reading of the
Declaration of Independence with a few
very happy and instructive remarks upon
the basic principles of English govern-
ment and society which rendered the
condition of the Thirteen Colonies intol-
erable and gave rise to the statement of
principles set forth in the Declaration.
By these prefatory remarks the reading
itself was rendered much more interest-
ing and the principles laid down much
more effective.

The orator of the day, Hon. W. A. Ro-
denberg, delivered an address both
thoughtful and eloquent, which was
listened to with rapt attention and inter-
rupted by frequent bursts of applause.
The speaker dealt with the true meaning
and significance of the main principles of
the Declaration which had just been read
and showed that upon them the growth
and prosperity of the nation in the past
and its future renown depend.

The committee consisting of Judge
Little, Rev. J. A. Cruzan and Mrs. J. T.
Lewis are entitled to the heartiest con-
gratulations in at last having been able
to raise a Fourth of July literary pro-
gramme to rank with the other events
of this national holiday, and freed from
the incumbrance of a ball game at one
end and a horse race at the other so
arranged that they have in the past prac-
tically overlapped the literary features
of the day like a double blanket.—Hilo
Tribune.

CHINESE PIERCED BY CUPID'S DART

Pretty Wedding of Progressive
Young Couple Last
Night.

Kawalaho Seminary was the scene,
last evening, of a ceremony which was
both unusual and interesting. The affair
was the wedding of Miss Alice Kong
and Seraph E. Chang, both of the con-
tracting parties being of Chinese extrac-
tion.

At 8 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Thwing read
portions of the Episcopalian marriage
service in English and, the golden token
having been adjusted, pronounced the
couple man and wife.

The wedding took place in the parlor
of the seminary, which was tastefully
decorated with creepers and cut flowers.
Miss Paulding, the principal of the insti-
tution, gave the bride away. En Sui
Kong, a cousin of the bridegroom, officiated
as best man.

The bride, who is a strikingly hand-
some girl, was dressed in white and car-
ried a bouquet of white flowers. The
bridegroom was attired in conventional
black. Both were cool and collected
throughout the ceremony, and made the
necessary responses in clear, unwavering
tones.

At the close of the service, the minister
made a short prayer and Professor In-
galls played the wedding march on a pia-
no while the seventy invited guests, one
by one, tendered their congratulations to
the happy pair. Refreshments were then
served and Mr. and Mrs. En Chang pro-
ceeded to their home at Kailahi.

The wedded pair were the recipients of
over one hundred presents, many of the
gifts being beautiful and costly.

Among those present were the mother
and sister of the bride, who had come
up from Kohala for the occasion. It is
the exception for a Chinese mother to be
present at the wedding of her daughter,
in fact in China, such a thing never oc-
curs.

The young people made their own love
match, which is unusual among the Chi-
nese, such affairs being generally ar-
ranged by the relatives of the principals.
In this case, however, the interested par-
ties are exceedingly progressive young
people and taking matters into their own
hands, followed where love led.

The bride has been residing at the Ka-
walaho Seminary for upwards of four
years. Previously she was one of the
brightest students of the Kohala Sem-
inary which place she left to come to Ho-
nolulu in order to engage in Kindergar-
ten work. Recently she has been teach-
ing in the Kindergarten of Camp No. 2.
S. En Chang was born in Honolulu and
was formerly a student at Oahu College.
He is at present employed as clerk in the
office of his brother, Chang Kim. He is
an exceptionally bright young man and
enjoys the goodwill and respect of all
who know him.

The railroad commission of the State
of Missouri has entered suit to stop the
proposed consolidation of the Frisco
and Fort Scott roads, there being a
State law which was aimed to prevent
such consolidation.

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